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Independent claims	<u>3</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=	<u> </u>	x \$200.00 =	<u>\$0.00</u>
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Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
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Since the 30 month date from the original priority date fell on Saturday, March 19, 2005, the entry of National Stage in the United States for this application on the following Monday, March 21, 2005, is sufficient to obtain the benefit of priority.

The sworn English translation of the Provisional Application was previously filed in the Provisional Application.

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